

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared the undersigned affiant who, after being duly sworn by me, on oath stated: My name is Kimberly Mayfield #6978 and I am a peace officer of the City of Dallas, Dallas County, Texas. I, the affiant, have good reason and do believe that on or about the 10th day of July, 20 19, one (name of suspect) Johnson, Sedrick Deshun did then and there in the City of Dallas, Dallas County, Texas commit the offense of Injury to a Child/SBI, a violation of Section 22.04 of the Texas Penal Code, a F/I.

Affiant's belief is based upon the following facts and information which Affiant received from:

☐ Affiant's personal investigation of this alleged offense.

☒ Rico Harris #8816, a fellow peace officer of the City of Dallas, Dallas County, Texas, who personally participated in the investigation of this alleged offense, providing this information to Affiant, and whose information Affiant believes to be credible.

Based upon information received from Suspect Sedrick Deshun Johnson B/M/27 DOB: 09/14/1991 and juvenile witnesses; it is believed that the suspect, on the date of July 10, 2019, committed the offense of Injury to a Child/SBI F/I Texas Penal Code 22.04, at 9747 Whitehurst Dr. [REDACTED] Dallas, Dallas County, Texas against Complainant Cedrick Jackson, Jr. B/M DOB: 01/02/2018, an eighteen month old child at the time of this offense.

The facts of this offense are as follows:

On July 10, 2019 at approximately 6:18 am, 9-1-1 received a call from Witness Chrystal Jackson B/F DOB: 06/20/1992 reporting the abduction of the complainant by a known male. Witness Jackson reported that only she, a juvenile witness and the complainant were at the location when the known male entered the residence and took the complainant. During the investigation, Witness Jackson was interviewed in the Law Enforcement Wing of the Dallas Children's Advocacy Center and admitted to the suspect and other juvenile witnesses being at the location. All juvenile witnesses were forensically interviewed and provided statements contradicting the original statements given to the police. The juvenile witnesses explained that they heard the complainant crying in the early morning then he stopped suddenly and disappeared.

Detective Harris #8816 interviewed the suspect at the Dallas Police Department Youth Division. After the suspect waived his Miranda rights, the suspect explained that the complainant was swaddled in his blanket on the floor, at the foot of the bed. The suspect explained that he swaddles the 18-month-old complainant tightly to restrict the complainant's movement. The complainant, who has only been in the home since May 21<sup>st</sup>, got up one night and "made a mess" by getting into ketchup packets so the suspect decided to prohibit his movement by wrapping him tightly.

The suspect stated he heard the complainant making sounds around 12:30 a.m. When the suspect unwrapped the complainant, the complainant began throwing up and became unresponsive. The suspect stated he gave the complainant CPR, in the bedroom, for approximately 30-45 minutes. The suspect described the complainant's chest moving up and down during CPR. The suspect stated he felt like the complainant's heart was still beating but the complainant was not moving. The suspect then put the complainant in the car and drove him to another location and placed the complainant in a dumpster.

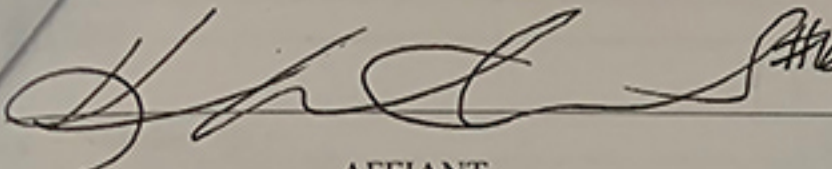


One of the juvenile witnesses reported that the suspect wraps the complainant too tightly causing the complainant to cry. According to the juvenile witnesses, the complainant did not like being wrapped and would always fuss and cry prior to bedtime.

The suspect caused injury to the complainant by compressing his airway leading to the complainant becoming unresponsive.

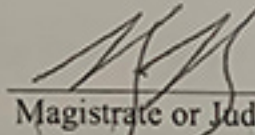
At the time of this warrant, recovery efforts are underway to locate the complainant.



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AFFIANT

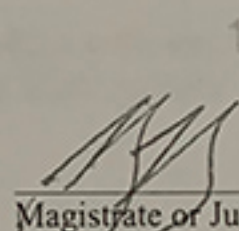
WHEREFORE, Affiant requests that an arrest warrant be issued for the above accused individual in accordance with the law.

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME on the  
11 day of July 20 19

  
Magistrate or Judge, in and for Dallas County, Texas

MAGISTRATE'S or JUDGE'S DETERMINATION OF PROBABLE CAUSE

On this the 11 day of July 20 19.  
I hereby acknowledge that I have examined the foregoing affidavit and have determined that probable cause exists for the issuance of an arrest warrant for the individual accused therein.

  
Magistrate or Judge in and for Dallas County, Texas  
133 N. Riverfront Blvd., LB 13  
Dallas, Texas 75207



# WARRANT OF ARREST AND DETENTION DALLAS COUNTY, TEXAS

Texas	Incident #: 138722-2019	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Felony (1) <input type="checkbox"/> Misdemeanor
	Arrest #:	
Warrant Number (2):	Charge: Injury to a Child/SBI	
Suspect: Johnson, Sedrick Deshun		Bail Amount \$ (3) <i>To be determined upon arrest</i>

In the name of the State of Texas to any Sheriff or other Peace Officer of the state of Texas---  
Greetings:

You are here by commanded to take the body of:  
(4) Johnson, Sedrick Deshun

hereinafter called the accused, and him safely keep so that he may be dealt with according to law, and to hold the accused to answer to the State of Texas for an offense against the laws of the said State, namely:

(5) Injury to a Child/SBI

22.04 F/1

of which **felony** offense he is accused by written complaint, made under oath that has been presented to me and that is by this reference incorporated herein for all purposes.

(6)  
Witness my signature this 11 day of July, 2019.

Judge Brandon Birmingham  
 202nd Judicial District Court  
 133 N. Riverfront Blvd., LB 13  
 Dallas, Texas 75207  
 (7) Magistrate or Judge  
 City of Dallas  
 Dallas County, Texas

## ADMINISTRATIVE DATA ALL BLANKS MUST BE COMPLETED OR INDICATE "UNKNOWN"

(8) State of Texas vs. Johnson, Sedrick Deshun				(9) Arrest Status		At-Large	
(10) Race	B	(11) Sex	M	(12) DOB	09/14/1991	(13) Ht	5'11
(14) Wt	230	(15) Hair	Black	(16) Eyes	Brown		
(17) Residence Address				9747 Whitehurst Dr. [REDACTED]			
(20) Business Address				(21) Business Name			
(22) Complainant				(23) Date of Offense		7-10-19	
Arrest Warrant Issued to				DPD/DSO		(18) Driver's License #	[REDACTED]
						(19) State	TX

## FEES (25)

ARREST-----	\$4.00
COMMITMENT-----	\$2.00
RELEASE-----	\$2.00
APPROVE BOND-----	\$6.00
MILEAGE-----	\$
OTHER-----	\$
TOTAL-----	\$

## RETURN (26)

CAME TO HAND THE \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A.D. 20\_\_\_\_, and executed the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A.D. 20\_\_\_\_, by arresting and detaining above named and accused and \_\_\_\_\_

BY: \_\_\_\_\_

Statute of Limitations Date is: None



# AFFIDAVIT FOR SEARCH WARRANT

STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF DALLAS

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087704-2019  
LG LM-Q710MS

COMES NOW, undersigned Affiant, being a Peace Officer under the laws of Texas and being duly sworn, on oath makes the following statements and accusations:

- 1) There is in Dallas County, Texas a suspected place and premises located at 1400 S. Lamar Street, Dallas County, Texas. The place and premises in the headquarters building for the Dallas Police Department.
- 2) There is at said place and premises the following **SUSPECTED ITEMS** stored under property tag # **228670B** which are implements or instruments used in the commission of a crime in violation of the laws of the State of Texas, property or items constituting evidence of a criminal offense or constituting evidence tending to show that a particular person committed a criminal offense, or property the possession of which is prohibited by law, to wit:
  - a. A LG LM-Q710MS cellphone with the IMEI 351603-10-255982-6.
- 3) Within said **SUSPECTED ITEMS** are the following property which are implements or instruments used in the commission of a crime, property or items constituting evidence tending to show that a particular person committed an offense, to wit:
  - b. Information and records pertaining to injury to a child and attempts to conceal the alleged offense(s).
  - c. Information and records pertaining to communications and location information before, during, and after the commission the alleged offense(s).
  - d. Information and records pertaining to the concealment and transportation of the complainant's body.
  - e. Information and records which may reveal the complainant's whereabouts.
  - f. Information and records that would tend to establish that a computer, computer system, computer network, electronic storage device, cellular telephone, or other wireless communications device was used to commit the alleged offense(s) and establish the person(s) who used, control, or own said device or system.



- g. Account information, passwords, keys, encryption keys, and other materials required to gain access to containers or devices having the information and records sought in this affidavit.
- h. Records and items which manifest ownership, dominion, or control over the SUSPECTED ITEMS.
- i. Electronic communications held or maintained in electronic storage by an electronic communication service or remote computing service associated with any computer, computer system, electronic storage device, cellular phone, or other wireless communications device searched or seized pursuant to this affidavit that may contain the information and records sought in this affidavit or may have been used in the commission of the alleged offense(s).

4) It is the belief of Affiant who hereby charges and accuses Sedrick Deshun Johnson (B/M 9-14-1991), herein SUBJECT, of:

- a) Injury to a Child- Serious Bodily Injury, Texas Penal Code 22.04(a)(1), a first-degree felony.

5) The facts establishing Affiant's basis for probable cause for the issuance of a warrant are as follows:

I, K. Alvarado #8891, am a peace officer for the City of Dallas, Dallas Police Department, located at 5351 Samuell Blvd Dallas, Dallas County, Texas. I am assigned to the Child Abuse Unit where I am responsible for the investigation of child physical and sexual abuse and child deaths involving family members. I have been a commissioned peace officer for 13 years and specifically investigating crimes against children for the past 4.5 years.

On July 11, 2019, Detective Alvarado #8891 assisted Detective Rico Harris #8816 in Dallas Police Department Case #087704-2019 regarding the complainant, Cedrick Jackson B/M DOB: 01-02-2018.

Based upon information received from SUBJECT and juvenile witnesses; it is believed that SUBJECT, on the date of July 10, 2019, committed the offense of Injury to a Child/SBI F/1 Texas Penal Code 22.04, at 9747 Whitehurst Dr. #165, Dallas, Dallas County, Texas against Complainant Cedrick Jackson, Jr. B/M DOB: 01/02/2018, an eighteen month old child at the time of this offense.

On July 10, 2019 at approximately 6:18 am, 9-1-1 received a call from Witness Chrystal Jackson B/F DOB: 06/20/1992 reporting the abduction of the complainant by a known male. Witness Jackson reported that only she, a juvenile witness, and the complainant were at the location when the known male entered the residence and took the complainant. During the investigation, Witness Jackson was interviewed in the Law Enforcement wing



of the Dallas Children's Advocacy Center and stated the SUBJECT and other juvenile witnesses were at the location. The juvenile witnesses explained that they heard the complainant crying in the early morning then he stopped suddenly and disappeared.

Detective Harris #8816 interviewed SUBJECT at the Dallas Police Department Youth Division. SUBJECT agreed to speak with police after he was issued his Miranda Warning. SUBJECT stated that the complainant had been at the residence since May 21, 2019 and on one occasion had awoke one night and "made a mess" with some ketchup packets. SUBJECT stated that he tightly swaddles the complainant at night to restrict the child's movement and that he did so the night of July 9, 2019 and placed him on the floor at the foot a bed at his residence.

SUBJECT stated that he heard the complainant make sounds on July 10, 2019 at about 12:30 a.m. When SUBJECT unwrapped the complainant, the complainant began throwing up and became unresponsive. The SUBJECT stated he gave the complainant CPR in the bedroom for approximately 30-45 minutes. The SUBJECT described the complainant's chest moving up and down during CPR and stated he felt like the complainant's heart was still beating but the complainant was not moving. SUBJECT then put the complainant in a car and drove him to another location where SUBJECT disposed of the complainant in a dumpster.

During a forensic interview, one of the juvenile witnesses reported that SUBJECT wraps the complainant too tightly causing the complainant to cry. According to the juvenile witnesses, the complainant did not like being wrapped and would always fuss and cry prior to bedtime. The juvenile witness stated that he heard the complainant crying in the early morning (late-night) then stopped suddenly, and then disappeared.

Witness Jackson stated that she had woke up during the night and noticed that both the complainant and SUBJECT were missing. She called SUBJECT on this cell phone and confronted him about why he wasn't at residence.

The SUBJECT's cell phone, a LG LM-Q710MS (IMEI 351603-10-255982-6), was seized from a consensual vehicle search on July 10, 2019. Witness Jackson identified the afore cell phone as belonging to SUBJECT. The cell phone is currently located at 1400 S. Lamar Street, Dallas, Dallas County, Texas under property tag 228670B.

Affiant believes the SUBJECT caused serious bodily injury to the complainant by compressing his airway leading to the complainant becoming unresponsive. Furthermore, SUBJECT failed to call for an ambulance or seek medical assistances for the complainant.



## 6) Definitions

Affiant uses the following terms to convey the following meanings:

- a) "Computer", as defined in Texas Penal Code 33.01(4), means an electronic, magnetic, optical, electrochemical, or other high-speed data processing device that performs logical, arithmetic, or memory functions by the manipulations of electronic or magnetic impulses and includes all input, output, processing, storage, or communication facilities that are connected or related to the device.
- b) "Computer system", as defined in Texas Penal Code 33.01(8), means any combination of a computer or computer network with the documentation, computer software, or physical facilities supporting the computer or computer network.
- c) "Data", as defined in Texas Penal Code 33.01(11), means a representation of information, knowledge, facts, concepts, or instructions that is being prepared or has been prepared in a formalized manner and is intended to be stored or processed, is being stored or processed, or has been stored or processed in a computer. Data may be embodied in any form, including but not limited to computer printouts, magnetic storage media, laser storage media, and punchcards, or may be stored internally in the memory of the computer.
- d) "Electronic Storage Device" means any device or medium capable of storing data that can be readily accessed by a computer. This includes hard drives; solid state drives; flash memory devices such as USB drives and memory cards; optical media such as CD, DVD, and BluRay disks; devices with internal memory such as a cellular telephone or camera; volatile computer memory; et cetera. Such devices may overlap with the definition of a computer.

## 7) Seizure of Computers and Electronic Storage Devices

To the extent necessary to completely and accurately retrieve data maintained in a computer or electronic storage device, Affiant requests permission to search and seize all seized devices' peripherals; exterior and removable storage devices; related instructions in the form of manuals and notes; and, in the case of computers, the computer system as a whole.

It is often necessary to take all seized devices and related equipment/materials to a qualified computer specialist in an appropriate setting in order to ensure the accuracy and completeness of the search and to prevent the loss of data either from accidental or intentional destruction. To that end, your Affiant requests permission to transport any computers or electronic storage devices seized pursuant to this affidavit to an off-site location, to include a location outside of the County where the seizure occurs, to have forensic analysis conducted on these items



#### 8) Forensic Examination of Computers and Electronic Storage Devices

Searching computer systems, to include cellular phones, for the property, evidence, and items described in this affidavit may require a range of data analysis techniques. In some cases, it is possible for officers and analysts to conduct carefully targeted searches that can locate evidence without requiring a time-consuming manual search through unrelated materials that may be commingled with criminal evidence. In other cases, however, such techniques may not yield the evidence described in the affidavit. Criminals can mislabel or hide files and directories, encode communications to avoid using key words, attempt to delete files to evade detection, or take other steps designed to frustrate law enforcement searches for information. These steps may require officers or other analysts with appropriate expertise to conduct more extensive searches, such as scanning areas of the disk not allocated to listed files or peruse every file briefly to determine whether it falls within the scope of the affidavit. In light of these difficulties, Affiant requests authorization to use whatever data analysis techniques appear necessary to locate and retrieve the property, evidence, and items sought in this affidavit.

#### 9) Cellular Phones

Through Affiant's knowledge, training, and experience, Affiant knows that cellular telephones and other wireless communication devices are fundamentally computers and are generally capable of acting as electronic storage devices. Furthermore, they are capable of connecting to computer networks, including the Internet, via cellular radio and/or Wi-Fi.

#### 10) Electronic Data Held in Remote Storage

Affiant requests authorization to access any *electronic customer data* that are found to be associated with any computer, computer system, computer network, cellular telephone, or other wireless communication device which may contain the information and records sought in this affidavit.

#### 11) Overcoming Locked Containers & Security Measures

Affiant will make every effort to gain entry into all implements of electronic storage (computers, cell phones, & electronic storage devices) through means that would result in minimal or no damage to these devices. However, affiant requests permission to use forensic methods which are destructive when reasonable alternatives to search data on the device does not exist or when it is required to bypass a security measure.



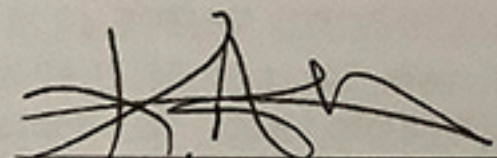




As used in this affidavit, the terms "records" and "information" include all of the foregoing items of evidence in whatever form and by whatever means they may have been created or stored, including any form of computer or electronic storage (such as hard disks or other media that can store data); any handmade form (such as writing, drawing, painting); any mechanical form (such as printing or typing); and any photographic form (visual materials).

All information noted in this affidavit for search warrant has been related to Affiant by the person(s) and/or source(s) attributed or referenced. Affiant further believes in good faith that the information provided herein to be true and correct. Because the sole purpose of this affidavit is to establish probable cause that a criminal offense has occurred, not every relevant fact known to me, or to other investigators, is included within. Rather, only those facts necessary to establish probable cause have been discussed.

WHEREFORE, Your Affiant prays for the issuance of a search warrant that will authorize him, or any peace officer of the State of Texas, to search said suspected place and premises for said property, evidence, and items and seize the same.

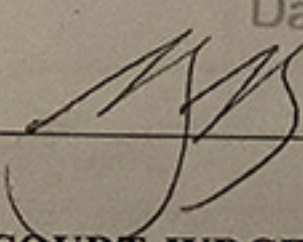
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Affiant

Subscribed and sworn to before me by said Affiant on the 11 day July, 20 15.

Judge Brandon Birmingham  
292nd Judicial District Court  
133 N. Riverfront Blvd., LB 13  
Dallas, Texas 75207

Printed Name

Signature

  
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DISTRICT COURT JUDGE  
IN AND FOR THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF DALLAS



SEARCH WARRANT

STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF DALLAS

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\_\_\_\_\_ DISTRICT COURT

THE STATE OF TEXAS: to the Sheriff or any Peace Officer of Dallas County, Texas or any Peace Officer of the State of Texas,

GREETINGS:

WHEREAS, the Affiant whose signature is affixed to the "Search Warrant Affidavit" ("Affidavit"), which is incorporated by reference herein for all purposes, is a peace officer under the laws of Texas and did heretofore this day subscribe and swear to said Affidavit before me; and

WHEREAS, I find that the verified facts stated by Affiant in said Affidavit, which are hereby adopted as the Court's findings, show that Affiant has probable cause for the belief he expresses therein and establishes the existence of proper grounds for the issuance of this Warrant;

NOW, THEREFORE you are authorized and commanded to enter the suspected place and premises located at **1400 S. Lamar Street Dallas, Texas** as described in said Affidavit. At said place you shall search for and, if same be found, seize and bring before me the property, evidence, and items stored under property tag # **228670B** as described in said Affidavit.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, pursuant to the provisions of Texas Code of Criminal Procedure Article 18.10, that said peace officer retain custody of any property seized pursuant to this warrant until further order of this court or any other court of appropriate jurisdiction shall otherwise direct the manner of safekeeping said property. This court grants you leave and authority to remove any such seized property from Dallas County if such removal is expressly authorized by the provisions of Texas Code of Criminal Procedure Article 18.10.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you then and there this Search Warrant within three days, exclusive of the day of its issuance and exclusive of the day of its execution, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Issued this the 11 day of July, 2012, at 12:12, P. M., to certify which witness my hand this day.

Printed name

Signature

**DISTRICT COURT JUDGE**  
**IN AND FOR THE STATE OF TEXAS**  
**COUNTY OF DALLAS**

Judge Brandon Birmingham  
292nd Judicial District Court  
133 N. Riverfront Blvd., LB 13  
Dallas, Texas 75207